### LOCAL NEWS.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE. - This body of teachers assembled at the Washington school house at 3 p. m., yesterday, pursuant to adjournment, nearly the same persons being present as in the morning, with the addition of two more teachers from Alexandria county, and one from Fairfax. The City Superintendent after waiting until all were seated, again introduced Major Jed Hotchkiss, of Staunton, who proceeded to give his views on the proper teaching of Arithmetic, contending that decimal fractions should always be taught with the first four rules, and that pupils should be required to read large numbers at sight from left to right, without the usual process of first numerating from right to left, which he compared to spelling out the words in a book or news-paper after one could read. He also, deprecated too much haste in teaching numeration, which, he said, was greatly neglected in most primary schools. He concluded about 5 p. m., an intermission of ten minutes having been allowed during the progress of the lecture, and was complimented by a unanimous vote of thanks, expressed by rising, on the motion of the City Superintendent. The arrangements for to-day were then stat-

ed by the Superintendent, and the Institute ad-

ourned until 10 a. m. This morning Dr. E. A. Stabler delivered a very interesting lecture before the Institute, on the best means of promoting the health of pupils and teachers, a synopsis of which will appear to-morrow.

MAYOR'S OFFICE. - Jame Simms, who had escaped from the work house, was sent back to his old quarters.

Two young men, for fighting in front of the restaurant of Mr. Colmus on Royal street, were nned and discharged. Joe. Winston, colored, for striking Sophoro mia Furguson, also colored, was fined and dis-

William Smith, on complaint of Mrs. Groves, for disorderly conduct, was dismissed as the

charge was not sustained. NIGHT REPORT .- Night cloudy and cool. Two young men had a fight about nine o'clock on Royal street near the Market square which attracted a large crowd. Three prisoners and

one lodger were at the station house.

Examination .- We are requested by the Superintendent of Schools to say that all persons desiring to be examined as teachers must attend at the Washington school house to-morrow at 9 o'clock, punctually; as he will not examine at any other time before the opening of 45 or 50 degrees with the horizon and the fort bechools, having pressing business, both public ing so built on the top as to occupy the whole level and private, to employ him. Due notice has space, about 80 feet in diameter leaving no levbeen given to all concerned, and if they are el ground outside the parapet wall. The deficient in punctuality, they must give place ground between this and the water's edge is to those who possess that virtue.

DROUGHT.-The drought still continues, and all the late corn in this section of the State, has, in consequence, been blighted. The truck farms and gardens are also suffering for the want of proaches to the fort from the water on the front. rain; some of the pumps in the city fail to re- As this was the grand object of attack it was tion on the Alexandria Canal has been inter- boats reached the first fort, about two miles being showers are raised only to be disappointed

STILL TRAVELLING. -Mrs. Dismond, who a rived at the Mansion House in this city on the 18th of last June, in a destitute condition, from New Orleans, and represented herself as a relative of the Lee family, and a narrative of whose adventures as the widow of an African missionary was published in the Gazette of that date, has been heard from in Racine. Wisconsin, where she is telling the same old story over

AN UNSETTLED QUESTION.-It is an unsettled question whether the party of young men, who, for some nights past have been singing on the streets in different quarters of the city, are good musicians, or their hearers an unappreciative set of boars. Certain it is, however, that some of the latter threaten to call for the police provided, what they term, the "howling and yelling" is continued.

WATERMELONS .- The Fredericksburg Hertelling a ripe watermelon from a green one without plugging it or cutting it open." would make his fortune in one season.

Injunction. - A motion to dissolve the injunction restraining the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railroad, from prosecuting their work on the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike, will be argued before Judge R. H. Cockerille, of the County Court, at Fairfax Court House, to-morrow.

A WATERMELON TREAT. - Mr. George Fogg, Foreman of the Spinning Room of the Mount Vernon Cotton Factory, gave a watermelon treat last night to all the employees in that room, at the store of Hugh Fegan, on Oronoco the fort was the first to enter and fell lighting between Columbus and Alfred street.

Young Men's Christian Association. -An adjourned meeting of this Society, will be held in their room to-night at 8 o'clock, and the members are requested to be punctual in their attendance. The question of the proposed excursion will come up for discussion.

LOOK BEPORE YOU LEAP. - Proceedings were commenced in the Magistrate's Court of this city yesterday evening, against a husband for the payment of a debt contracted by his wife eleven years ago, when she was a minor and unmarried.

AN APPEAL ENTERED. -An appeal has been entered to the judgment awarded by Judge Olin of Washington, against the Steamer Lady of the Lake, for damages sustained by the schooner Pocomoke, a notice of which appeared in last Friday's Gazette.

Good News .- There is another "run" of sturgeon, and the gillers are preparing their nets. The drought is severe, but it can be borne as long as sturgeon and watermelous are

PROPERTY SALE.-The farm of D. W. Luckett, near Nokesville, has been sold through the agency of Messrs. Green and Wise, land agents of this city, for \$2200.

Personal..-Rev. Mr. E. Munsey, passed through this city, this morning on his way to the camp meeting of the M. E. Church South,

near Hillsboro'. HURT.-A brakesman on the O. A. & M. R. R. named Southerlin accidentally fell from the top of a freight train yesterday and was

badly hurt. THE RADICALS of the First Ward, are to hold a meeting at Little Zion Church to-night to reorganize the Ward Club.

SOBA AND REED BIRDS have made their ar bearance in the market, and sportsmen have commenced their fall shooting.

Pic-Nic.-The Good Templars of the county will give a pic-nic on Thursday at Shutts' Grove in Washington Township.

TELEGRAPH NEWS.

DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.

#### FOREIGN NEWS.

London, Aug. 22.—Sir Edward Thornton, British envoy to Washington, who returned home on a leave of absence a few days ago, has gone to Balmoral to take the oath to the Queen as a member of Her Majesty's privy council. The Times says further loans will have to be obtained before the city of Paris will be restor-

ed to the condition it was before the war. The French deputation headed by Count York. They are enthusiastically received everywhere. This object of their visit to the united Kingdom is personally to return the thanks of the French people for aid so find given by the Englishmen and Irishmen for the wounded and suffering French during the war. A grand fete will be held in Crystal Palace at Sydenham to celebrate the union of Ger-

BERLIN, Aug. 22. - The ravages of cholera are steadily increasing at Konigsberg. The disease has also appeared at Dantzig, but no cases have yet occurred in Stettin, and the

South of Prussia is still free from the disease. The Fight in Corea. NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The mails bring details of the second fight in Corea. It appears that on the merning of June 10, an expedition started from the fleet. It conststed of about 900 men, of which about 700, including 105 marines, were to operate on land, 422 from the Colorado and 125 each from the Alaska and Benicia, all the crews of the Monocacy and Palos being required to work the guns on board. The Monocacy took the lead followed by the Palos with all the smaller boats in tow except the steam launches. The main object of attack is built on the top of a small conical aill on a tongue of land that projects from the right and west bank of the river and extends out into the water about a half a mile. Its average width from the North to the South is about 400 yards. The river makes a sharp bend around the point of this little peninsula and during the rise and fall of the tide the water rushes past it with rapidity. About 300 yards from the extreme eastern point of this a small conical hill arises about 300 feet high.-The Coreans have fortified this in such a manner that looking from the water the walls of the fort appear but a continuation of the extension upward of the steep sides of the hill, only approaching more nearly to the perpendicular, the sides of the hill forming an angle of about very rough, steep and rocky and dif-ficult for military operations. The Coreans had a water battery of 24 and 32 pounders and small old brass pieces, commanding the channel past this point, and protecting the ap-

spoud to the working of their handles, the determined to land several miles below and mill streams have dried up, and even naviga- take it in the rear. Accordingly when the rupted by the low water. Almost daily clouds low the point above mention, the Monocacy gather in the heavens and hopes of refreshing showers are raised only to be disappointed. the Palos, unfortunately, running upon a rock was held fast there and her effectiveness impaired for a while. The Monocacy's fire continued, silencing the fort and driving in the defenders. and under the cover of this fire the smaller boats which had been towed up by the Palos, east off, rowed rapidly to the beach and landed a portion of the force designed to operate The landing was effected in good order and without difficulty, but the men had then to

toil through some two hundred yards of mud from one to two feet deep, and over sluices in some parts much deeper, before reaching good, firm dry land. This done the first fort was easily occupied, its defenders having been silenced by the fire from the Monocacy and Palos, and retreated on the approach of the skirmish line of marines thrown out in advance of the attacking party, firing a few harmless shots as they fled. Night now coming on the whole land force bivouaced till the next morning, posting strong guards in advance.

On Sunday, the 11th, the whole expedition moved forward on the next fort, and took it ald "wants some one who can invent a way of without resistance. They then extended their line across the peninsula and advanced on the There main fort, called by the French Fort de Conis a general "want" on that score. A man deaff(Fort of the Elbouaf) from its being locatwho can do that, or who can tell from the out- ed in the bend or elbow of the river, this being side of a melon, whether it is good or bad, a place of great strength and the way of the approach being extremely rough and difficult, sometime was necessary to get the whole force up into position. When the order was given to charge, about half past 10, our whole line went with a rush and yell responded to by the death-wail or war-whoop of the Coreans in the

> The Coreans here made a firm stand and desperate resistance, firing their clumsy gingals with great coolness and deliberation at our men as they charged up the hill and then fighting hand to hand with long spears and swords when the fort had been stormed and our men bravely, being overwhelmned and borne down by superior numbers. Two hundred and fortythree dead Coreans were found in the fort, and several prisoners were taken, among whom was a deputy commander-in-chief, who was wounded. Our own loss was Lieut. H. W. McKee, S. Allen, ordinary seaman of the Colorado, and private Houraham, of the marine corps, killed. Seven were wounded, including passed assistant surgeon C. J. S. Wells, of the Colorado. After capture, the destruction of the fort was immediately begun. The honses were fired, the works and guns destroyed, and the magazines exploded. All the wounded Coreans were taken to the Monocacy. The land force ennight of the 11th and early the next morning took up a line of march to the fleet, the object of the expedition having been fulfilled, viz: "Avenging the insult offored the American flag on the 1st of June.

# From New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.-Arrangements are making for the celebration of the centenary of Senfeeder, the inventor of lithography, in November next.

The steamer Weser, which arrived on the 18th instant, was in collision on the 13th with the bark Helen Isabel, and both were slightly damaged. Two men were seriously injured.

## The Cotton Crop.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., Aug 22 .- Reports from the richest cotton fields of Alabama and Mississippi, say that the army worm has appeared in larger numbers than ever before. The bole worm is also reported in many counties.

## The New Loan,

Риц аркі рита, Ang. 22.—A dispatch to Jay Cooke & Co., dated London 7 р. m., says: the subscription to the new loan to-day, to noon, was \$50,000,000.

## The Markets.

Loxbox, Aug. 22-11.30 a. m.-Consols opened at 932 for both. Five-twenties, 1862, 922; 1865, old, 934; 1867, 928; ten-forties 908. FRANKFORT, Aug. 21.-U. S. Bonds, 1862, closed at 961.

PARIS, Aug. 22.-Renthe opened at 56 francs 25 centimes. London, Aug. 22-1.20 p. m.-Consols 933a for both. Bonds unchanged. NEW YORK, Aug. 22. -Stocks steady and Also a cheap dull. Gold uneasy at 123a124. Money easy at \$1.50 per dozen.

2. Virginia sixes 63; new 71. Flour a shade firmer. Wheat quiet and firm. Corn quiet and

BALTIMORE, Aug. 22.—Virginia sixes, old, 524 bid, 524 asked; do. 1866 66 bid, 69 asked; do. 1867 68 asked; do. coupon, old, 625 bid, 63 ask-ed. Cotton dull and unchanged. Flour steady. Western 66a67. Oats firmer 43a44.

THE RECHABITES. -The Norfolk papers give accounts of the recent pleasant visit of the Rechabites of this city, Georgetown and Washington, to Norfolk and Portsmouth. They were received by their Norfolk and Portsmouth ably the company returned in the Lady of the Lake, highly pleased with their visit.

#### COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Aug. 22 .- The market for wheat is less active though prices remain at yesterday's figures; sales of 60 bushels very good white at 132a135; offerings of 3268 of red with sales at 115, 118, 120, 125, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135, 137, 138, 141 and 142 for fair to choice. Corn is quiet and unchanged; sales of mixed at 73 and 74 with offerings of 686 bushels. Offering of 156 bushels of rye with sales at 72. Oats are unchanged; offerings of 602 bushels with sales at 44, 45 and 46.

RICHMOND MARKET, Aug. 22.—The offerings of Grain during the week show a falling off as compared with those of the preceding week.—The market for Wheat has been active, uniform and steady, and is rather stiffer. There has been no change in Corn-the highest figures paid for no enange in Corn—the highest ligures paid for best lots was 80c. A cargo or two from the Rap-pahannock met roady sale. Oats have become quite active, and have advanced 3c. Flour has declined; Super 6.75a\$6.87½; Extra 7.25a\$7.37½, and Family 8a\$8.25. Wheat 137½a152½ for fair to prime white, and 105a145 for common to prime red. Oats 48a50, and 52½ for winter.—

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, AUGUST 22. SUN ROSE...... 5.19 | MOON SETS......10.35 SUN SETS...... 6.45

ARRIVED. Schrs Mary and Priscilla, Cooper, Havre de Grace, to W A Smoot.

SAILED Steamer Wawaset, Fowlkes, Currioman, by

Potomac Ferry Co.
Schrs A F Whitney and Lizzie Carr, Boston, and Alex Young, Providence, by American Coal Co.

Schr C P Gerrish, Armstrong, for Boston hence, at Vineyard Haven 18th. Schr Port Royal, Hagan, hence for Derby, passed through Hell Gate 20th. FORTRESS MONROE, Aug. 22.—The schooner ashore on Body Island is said to be the Marion,

### Summer Clothing.

from Boston for Liverpool.

Great inducements in Summer Clothing are now being offered by S. BLONDHEIM, corner King and Fairfax streets, he being determined to close out his stock without regard to cost. His stock of Gonts' Furnishing Goods is always large, and satisfaction is guaranteed to all who may tayor him with their patronage, aug 12

DUBLIC SALE OF A HOUSE AND LOT NEAR THE O., A. & M. R. R. DEPOT, IN ALEXANDRIA, VA.—As substituted trustee under the deed of trust from John W. and Elizabeth M. Richardson to Gilbert S. Miner, dated December 10th, 1867, and recorded in liber Y. No. 3, follo 287, I shall proceed to sell, by public auction, in front of the premises, on SAT-URDAY, September 23d, 1871, at 12½ p. m., the LOT OF GROUND, with the two-story BRICK HOUSE thereon, situated on the north side of Duke, between Fayette and Payne streets, to satisfy the debt, &c., secured by said

deed of trust. Terms: One-tenth cash; the remainder in three equal payments at 6, 12 and 18 months after date, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by a deed of trust on the property, and the purchaser's negotiable notes, well endorsed. Cost of conveyancing to be borne by purchaser.

aug 22-td D. L. SMOOT, Sub. Trustee. PLANES of all kinds, Rules, Levels, Squares Augers, Auger Bits, Braces, &c., at J. F. CARLIN & SONS', 63 King street.

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY-A full stock of goods in our line always on hand, at wholesale and retail. Orders filled with care aug 22 J. F. CARLIN & SONS.

BASS & CO'S. PALE ALE and Barclay, Perkins & Co's. best Stout, for sale by AVERY & DAVIDSON, 226 King st., cor. Alfred

PRESERVING SUGARS-A full stock of all grades in store and for sale very low by AVERY & DAVIDSON, 226 King st., cor. Alfred. PICKLING VINEGAR-Pure Cider Vine-

gar, two years old, for sale by AVERY & DAVIDSON, 226 King st., cor. Alfred. PURE SPICES, whole and ground, for Pick-

ling and Preserving, for sale by AVERY & DAVIDSON, 226 King st., cor. Alfred.

EXCHANGE BUILDING COMPANY. The 3d assessment of ten dollars a share has this day been ordered by the Board of Directors, payable at the Banking House of Messrs, W. D.

Corse & Co., on or before Saturday, the 26th instant. Stockholders will please be prompt in their payments. By order of the Board: F. A. REED, Sect'y. aug 21-5t

NEW BOOKS! NEW BOOKS!

FRENCH'S A TERRIBLE TEMPATION, by Charles Reade; illustrated.
ALMOST FAULTLESS, by the author of "A Book for Governesses."
YOUNG AMERICA ABROAD, by Oliver Optic, a Library of Travel and Adventure in Foreign Lands; just out. The first volume of the new series-UP THE BALTIC, or Young America in Norway, Swe-

den and Denmark; price \$1.50.
THE DAY AFTER TO-MORROW AND SINGED BY THE FIRE; from the English;

SINGED BY THE FIRE; from the English; price \$1.50.

THE TWO LITTLE BRUCES, by the author of Hungering and Thirsting, Avarity's Birth Day Text, etc.; \$1.25.

THE YOUNG DELIVERERS OF PLEAS-ANT COVE, by Rev. Elijah Kellogg; \$1.25.

BRET HARTE'S POEMS, \$1.50; LUCK OF ROARING CAMP, \$1.50; CONDENSED NOVELS, \$1.50.

THE QUIET MISS GODOLPHIN, by Ruth Garrett, and A CHANCE CHILD, by Edward

Garrett, and A CHANCE CHILD, by Edward Garrett, nuthors of A Retired Life, White as Snow," etc.; 75c. Paper covers, 50c.

THE GERMAN CONQUEST OF ENGLAND IN 1875 and BATTLE OF DORKING, by an eye witness in 1925, reprinted from Black wood's Magazine; 30c. THE WIFE OF A VAIN MAN, by Marie

Sophie Schwartz, translated from the Swedish; paper covers, \$1: bound \$1.50. VIVIA, a mod. r story, by Florence Wil-

lard; 50c.
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iv 28 G. E. FRENCH.

A LARGE SUPPLY OF MASON'S SELF SEALING JARS; also the "Gem," the "Union" and the "Everlasting" Jars, for sale at the lowest prices at ENTWISLE'S CHINA STORE,

157 King street. Also a cheap lot of GLASS JARS atoply aug i

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Medical Mistakes .- It took the medical faculty about a thousand years to discover that the best way to cure disease was not to render the patient too weak to contend with it. Within the last twenty years, however, the whole system of medical practice has been changed for the better. In diseases or complaints caused by aversive hear the interest the destress stars. Wheat scarce and firm; Ohio and Indiana 134a the better. In diseases or complaints caused by 137; Pennsylvania 135a140. Corn firm; mixed excessive heat, for instance, the doctors no longer recommend the reduction of the invalid's strength by prostrating medicines. The vast success which has attended the use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters as a remedy for debility, has given even the most prejudiced members of the old school an insight into the only true and rational theory is the control of tional theory of cure. Cantharides, calomel O., A. & M. R. and overpowering doses of opium, are now among Terms: Onethe obsolete nostrums of another age. The lancet, once as much the legitimate weapon of the physician as the sword is of the soldier, is seldom drawn from its case. The principle of life is no longer drained from the veins by the quart, and water-gruel for the strengthless invalid has ceased to be considered an appropriate diet.— Vigor is the motto of the rational members of the profession, and they understand, at last, the value of a sterling vegetable tonic. So, also, with the people at large; and without consulting medical men at all, they have adopted the Bitters as a household remedy, thereby econonising both cash and health.

Note the fact, that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters s sold in bottles only, never in bulk, and that the abortions springing up in various parts of the country, and sometimes offered as substitutes for the great national specific, are all utterly aug 21-eolw

El Vino Catalina .- The announcement that has been so generally heralded throughout the country that an American company has again commenced importing this celebrated Wine Tonic is a matter of no small importance, and will be hailed with joy by all those seeking a pure and invigorating tonic; also, those who need a pure, pleasant and refreshing stimulant will find in the El Vino Catalina, or Brown's Catalina Wine Tonic, what they want. It will be remembered that importations were made in 1866 of this noted brand, but in consequence of the high duty then demanded by this govern-ment, the enterprise ceased, to the regret of thousands who had learned its value. It is the oldest tonic in the world, and doubtless the most invigorating, the purest and best, and if importation continues at the rates now started, it will take its place in every family in this as well as in the old countries. Its merits will make it a household article, and we hope that every one who has ever used any Bitters or common patent tonie, will at least try one bottle of the Catalina, and then decide for themselves whether they will use this Tonic, prepared from the pure juice of the Catalina grape, with Calisaya and the spices of Ceylon, or a bitters made of com-mon whiskey and bitter field herbs. This is an invaluable preparation for weakness and debility; it relieves morning languor and gives freshness and appetite, not followed by an unpleasant

reaction.

It cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Costiveness, Bilious Derangements, Cramp Colic, Flatulence, Diarrhea, Dysentery Nausea, Yomiting, Morning Sickness, Chills and Fevers, Headache, Nervous Irritability, Anæmia, Heart Disease, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Diseases of the Skin, and all Eruptions, either caused by other diseases or impurity of the blood. As a Tonic in Consumption, it has no superior, of which thousands believe themselves to have been cured by its use. We do not claim that it will cure Consumption, but we are sure that it reaction. will cure Consumption, but we are sure that it will prevent it if taken freely in time. AVERY & DAVIDSON, Grocers and Liquor Merchants, 226 King street, Alexandria, Va., Agents for Alexandria and the counties; J.M.M. CONRAD & Co., 19 Light street, Baltimore, Md., General Agents for the U. S. Office of the Com-pany, 48 S. Howard street, Baltimore, Md.

je 3-cotf Dye is the best in the World-Perfectly Harmless, Reliable and Instantaneous. No disappointment. No Ridiculous Tints, or Unpleasant Odor. The genuine W. A. Batchelor's Hair Dye produces IMMEDIATELY a splendid Black or Natural Brown. Does not Stain the Skin, but leaves the Hair Clean, Soft and Beautiful. The only Safe and Perfect Dye. Sold by all Druggists. Factory, 16 Bond st., New York. New York, jan 20-eoly

To the Ladies .- Dr. PANCOAST'S FE-MALE PILLS—a positive cure for suppression or irregularity arising from any cause whatever. They are perfectly harmless. Teb Every Lady should keep a box of these pills on hand for use in case of need.

Price \$2 per box. Sent securely scaled to any address on receipt of price. Direct all orders to J. WALKER PANCOAST, M. D. Philadelphia, ap 6-3md&wly

### TAXES. STATE TAXES FOR 1871.

The State tax bills for 1871 are now in my hands for collection. All persons are hereby notified that they are required to come to my office, No. 57 King street, and make payment. On all bills not paid by the 1st of September live per cent will be added to the amount, and the bills turned over to the City Sergeant, who is compelled by law to force immediate payment. frame. W. D. CORSE,

City Trensurer, Alexandria. jy 26-tS1 NOTICE TO CITY TAX PAYERS.

Collectors' Office, July 13, 1871. Tax payers will take notice that the taxes due the City Council of Alexandria for the year 1871 are now ready and in the hands of the Collectors, who can be found at their office each day, except Sunday, from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. All persons paying their taxes on or before the first day of August, in current funds, will be allowed a discount of 15 per cent; on or before the 1st day of September, 10 per cent; on or before the 1st day of October 5 per cent, and no discount will be allowed after that date.

JNO. T. HILL, Collector N. D. S. K. FIELD, Collector S. D. Office-Under the Mansion House, one door jy 13 north of the Telegraph office. SHERIFF'S NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

On and after February 1st, 1871, my office will be on Washington street, adjoining the drug store of Dr. Pierpoint. I would respectfully ask persons who have not paid their State and county taxes for 1870 to call and settle. The continto settle with the Auditor. The unpaid taxes for 1869, with interest, must be settled.

I. C. O'NEAL, jan 31 Sheriff Alexandria co., Va The unpaid taxes for

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION COLUMBIA STEAM FIRE ENGINE CO.

ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 20th, 1871. The steamer CITY OF ALEXANDRIA has been chartered, and will leave her wharf, foot of King street, at 8 o'clock precisely. Prof. COOK'S BAND has been engaged for the occasion. Master of Ceremonies, D. A. Windsor.

Floor Managers. A. C. Kell, R. W. Falls. Committee of Arrangements. er, Wm. Kilgour, Geo. Uhler, R. J. Daingerfield, Samuel H. Lunt. A. W. Chilton, Henry Herbner. Gentleman and lady \$1; lady's ticket 50 cts.

### aug 19-td NOTICE.

All persons attending the CAMP MEETING at Bealton, commencing August 17th, and that at Manassas commencing August 18th., will pass on any train on the Orange, Alexandria and Ma-nassas Railroad at HALF FARE, that is one by the Agent, over his signature, "good to return." J. M. BROADUS, Gen. Ticket Agent. aug 17-1w

J. R. SMOOT,

LIVE STOCK BROKER, WEST END. Respectfully solicits consignments of Cattle,

Cows and Calves, Hogs and Sheep. Address J. R. SMOOT, P. O. box 167, Alexandria, Va nov 11 MILLVILLE FRUIT JARS—Just received pints, quarts and half gallons, at JAMES F CARLIN & SONS, AUCTION SALES.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE. -By virtue of three several decrees of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered in the suit of Daniel Kincheloe's adm'r. vs. Thos. J. Suddath's adm'r., I shall, on MONDAY, (Court day) the adm'r., I shan, on MONDAY, (Court day) the 18th day of September, 1871, in front of the door of the Court House of said county, offer for sale, to the highest bidder, the undivided one-fourth part of that certain TRACT OF LAND, lying and being in the said county of Fairfax, containing FIFTY-SIX ACRES, more or less, conveyed by Wm. B. Suddath and others to Terrence Riley. This land lies on South run and Ox road, and is two miles south of Burko's station, on the

Terms: One-tenth in hand; the residue in three equal payments at six, twelve and eighteen months; the purchaser to give bonds for the de-ferred payments, and the title to be retained until the last payment is made. Stamps and deed at the expense of the purchaser.

THOS. MOORE, Comm'r.

Fairfax county, aug 19-law4w

WAVERLY FOR SALE. By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Prince William county, pronounced at its May term, 1871, in the suit of Haynes vs. Norville, the

term, 1871, in the suit of Haynes vs. Norville, the undersigned, commissioners for the purpose, will, on MONDAY, the 7th day of August, 1871, that being Court day, at the front door of the Court House, in Brentsville, offer for sale, by public auction, the TRACT OF LAND called WAVERLY, the property of L. B. Norville, containing 245 acres. This land lies beautifully on the O., A. & M. R. R., about midway between Bristoe and Nokesville, and is very good land.

Terms: Cash enough to pay costs of suit and sale, and the residue of purchase money divided into four equal annual payments from day of sale. The purchaser to give bonds, bearing interest from day of sale. The title to be reserved, the cash payment forfeited, and the land subject o resale upon failure of purchaser to meet any stalment as its falls due.

EPPA HUNTON.

W. H. PAYNE.

CHAS. E. SINCLAIR. Pr. Wm. co., je 20-eots Commissioners MONDAY, September 4th, at the same time and place.

Pr. Wm. co., aug 10-cots

#### DUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Prince William county, rendered in Januey vs. Savage, a suit in equity pending therein, the un-dersigned, Commissioners of said Court, will, on the 8th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1871, in the the 8th DA1 OF SEPTEMBER, 1811, in the town of Occoquan, in said county, sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, LOTS numbered 38 and 39 in the plan of the said town of Occoquan, on the following

Terms, to wit: Ten per cent cash, and the remainder on a credit of one, two and three years, with interest from the day of sale; the purchaser

to give bond and security for the deferred pay-ments, and the title to be retained as further security therefor.

WM. H. PAYNE. CHAS. E. SINCLAIR. Coms. A. NICOL. Prince Wm. co., aug 4-eots

By Green & Wise, PESIRABLE PROPERTY ON KING ST. FOR SALE. By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court

for the city of Alexandria, pronounced at its July term, 1871, in the suit of Moran vs. Brent and others, the undersigned, as commissioner, will, at public auction, in front of the Mansion House, in the city of Alexandria, on SATUR-DAY, the 16th day of September, 1871, offer for sale a valuable THREE-STORY BRICK HOUSE, on the south side of King street, between Fairfux and Royal, now in the possession Batchelor's Hair Dyc. This superb between Fairfax and Royal, now in the possession of A. Moran, being twenty feet on King st., and running back south ninety

Terms: One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the residue in three equal instalments, payable at six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from the day of sale; the purchaser giving bonds, with approved personal security; the title to be retained until the deferred payments are made, and the purchaser to bear all costs and expenses of conveyancing and GEORGE WM. BRENT, stamps. Comm'r. of Sale aug 16-ts

By L. D. Harrison, Auctioneer.

CALE OF VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY The undersigned will sell, at public auction, on TUESDAY, the 15th of August next, at 12 o'clock m., on the premises, the following REAL ESTATE, to wit:

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No. 1. HOUSE and LOT, No. 105 south
Fairfax street; lot 36 by 123 feet, on which
is a comfortable two story Frame Dwelling, with
water and gas, and on which there is a ground
rent of \$17 per annum.

No. 2. HOUSE and LOT, No. 53 Wolfe
street, 23 feet 5 inches by 107 feet. The

ouse is a two-story frame. No. 3. HOUSE and LOT, No. 47 Wolfe street, 30 feet by 60 feet. House two story

frame, with water.
No. 4. HOUSE and LOT, corner Wolfe and Water streets, 50 by 50 feet. House two story frame, with water and gas, occupied

ns a grocery.
No. 5. HOUSE and LOT next east of No. 4, 25 by 50 feet. House two story.

No. 6. Next east of No. 5, same dimensions and similar improvements.
No. 7. LOT No. 55 Wolfe street, 20 feet 5 in.

by 100 feet, with the improvements thereon—sold as a whole or divided to suit purchasers. On this lot are THREE FRAME
TENEMENTS all occupied. No. 8. A ground rent of \$35 per annum on a lot on which there are FOUR BRICK DWELLINGS, on Pitt street, between

Queen and Cameron, west side. Terms: One fourth cash on the day of sale; the residue in 6, 9 and 12 months. Title to be retained until the purchase money be fully paid. Stamps and conveyancing at cost of purchaser STEPHEN SWAIN,

GEO. W. SWAIN, jy 19-ts Agents for the heirs of Geo. Swain DAY, the 12th day of September next, at the aug 14-lawtS5&dts same time and place.

PUBLIC SALE.—By virtue of a deed of trust executed by A. N. Thomas, on the 1st of October, 1857, and of record in the Clerk's office of Prince William county, the undersigned, therein named as trustee, and for the pur-poses of said trust, will, on MONDAY, the 4th day of September, 1871, that being Court day, uance of the public schools depends upon the sell, for cash, at the front door of the Court payment of taxes promptly; and I am compelled to settle with the Auditor. The unpaid taxes for conveyed in said deed, containing EIGHTY-FOUR ACRES, adjoining the residue of the lands of A. N. Thomas, and purchased by him of John Johnson and others. This land has on it a small DWELLING HOUSE.

Selling as trustee, I shall convey only such

title as is vested in me as such, which is believed to be unquestionable.
EPPA HUNTON, Trustee.

Prince William co., jy 25-cots TOTICE. Mayor's Office,

Alexandria, August 15, 1871. CORPORATION LICENSES.—Having un derstood that certain persons question the right of the City Council to levy a license and tax as ordered by "an act for raising a revenue for the year 1871," and intend to resist the collection of said "license and tax," this notice is therefore given that after the 31st instant the law on that subject will be rigidly enforced against all persons doing business without a Corporation license. aug 15-tSl HUGH LATHAM, Mayor. FRUIT JARS.

I have just received my first supply of 180 dozen FRUIT JARS. I sold last year 600 dozen of these Jars, and have had no fault found with them. They give unusual satisfaction. Call and see them at 65

King street. E. J. MILLER. DOTOMAC HERRING.

100 bbls best Family Roe Herring. 50 half bbls 100 bbls No. 1 Potomac Herring. 50 kits Shad Roe. For sale by WASHINGTON & HERBERT,

jy 28

FRUIT JARS! FRUIT JARS! The Millville Glass Jars, pints, quarts and half gallons, for sale by JAMES F. CARLIN & SONS,

Terms: One-fourth cash, and the remainder in three equal annual instalments, to be evidenced by bond, bearing interest from the day of sale, and a deed of trust on the premises as a

JAMES F. CLARK. CRAWFORD CUSHING. COM. Prince William co., jy 20-lawts

By Green & Wise.

Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

COMMISSIONERS' SALE.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Va., rendered at its May term, 1871, in the suit of Butts vs. Butts et als., in chancery, the undersigned, Commissioners therein named, will sell, on SATURDAY, the 8th day of July, 1871, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mansion House Hotel, in the city of Alexandria, by public auction, the following described REAL ESTATE, known as Let No. 1, in the division plat of LOCHABAR FARM with MANSION, and bounded as follows: Beginning at J in the centre of Royal street, if extended, 5 poles, 2 links S113° W from the point where the centre of said street intersects the centre of the tract of the Washington and Ohio Railroad; thence north 403° west 8, 6 poles to K north 78° 21 W 51 55 poles to L in the centre of Washington \$1. 55 poles to L in the centre of Washington st., north 114° E 17, 81 poles to B in said centre corner to the tract and in a line formerly called Pendleton's; north 87½ E 23, 43 poles to M the intersection of said line with the southwestern line of said road; thence S. 407°, E. 45 poles to I, where the said line of the railroad crosses the centre of Royal street; thence S. 1134° W 1, 26 oles to the beginning, containing 5 acres and

344 poles. Terms: One-fourth of the purchase money to be paid in cash at the time of sale, and the resiough instalments at 6, 12 and months, with interest from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with satisfactory security, and the title to be retained until the purchase money be fully paid. Stamps and conveyances at the cost of the purchaser.

ALBERT STUART, C. W. WATTLES, F. L. SMITH, H. O. CLAUGHTON.

Commissioners my 31-2awts 7-3 The above sale has been postponed until TUESDAY, August 8th, at the same time and 

and place. BACON HALL FOR SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Prince William county, pronounced on the 9th day of May, 1870, in the suit of Carter vs. Grayson's adm'r., the undersigned, appointed Commissioners for that purpose, will, on the SEV-ENTH DAY OF AUGUST, 1871, that being Court day, at the front door of the Court House, in Brentsville, offer for sale that VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND called BACON HALL, of which Dr. John B. Grayson died seized, containing about 412 acres. This land lies within 12 miles of Gainesville, a station on the Manassas Gap Railroad, and is considered first-rate land. The improvements consist of a good DWKL-LING and out houses, &c.; also a LOT OF GROUND at Gainesville. We are author-

ized to sell at private sale. Terms: One-tenth of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale; the residue in three instalments, bearing interest from the day of sale, and payable as follows: Enough on confirmation of sale to make, with cash payment, onefourth of the whole purchase money; three eighths in one year, and the residue in two years from the day of sale. Purchasers to give bond

and the title to be retained as security for the leferred payments. EPPA HUNTON POWELL HARRISON. Pr. Wm. co., je 20-cots Commissioners. zer The above sale has been postponed until MONDAY, September 4th, at the same time Pr. Wm. co., aug 10-eots

DUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Prince William county, pronounced at its May term, 1871, in the suit of King vs. Foley, the undersigned, commissioners for the purpose, will, on MONDAY, the 7th day of August, 1871, that being Court day, at the front door of the Court House, in Brentsville, offer for sale, by public auction, a TRACT OF LAND in the upper part of Prince William county, adjoining the lands E. H. Foley, Santord Dodd and others, containing 1121 acres. The land is considered

Terms: One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale; the residue in two equal annual instalments, with interest from day of sale. The purchaser to give bonds, with approved personal security, with interest, and the title to be retained as security for deforred payments.

EPPA HUNTON.

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Commissioners

Pr. Wm. co., je 20-eots Commissioners.

\*\*\*The above sale has been postponed until MONDAY, September 4th, at the same time

Pr. Wm. co., aug 10-cots By Beck, Knox & Kerby. [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE FURNITURE, BEDS, BEDDING,

CARPETS, STOVES, &c., comprising nearly the whole outfit of the Marshall House. By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria in the case of Joshus Wood vs. Kelly and others, rendered at the July term of said Court, 1870, the undersigned, commissioners therein named, will, on TUES-DAY, the 2th day of Alexandria 1871. DAY, the 20th day of August, 1871, offer for sale, on the premises, the following valuable articles, in addition to a large lot of Bedding, Chamber, Dining, Parlor and Bar Room Fur-

27 Double Bedsteads, with all the Sheets Bol-

sters, Pillows, &c. 23 Feather Beds. 16 Hair Mattrasses. 13 Husk

17 Bed Room Carpets. 21 Looking Glasses. 1 Piano Forte. 1 Sofa.

Parlor Carpet.

Looking Glass.
Stove and Pipe. " Rocking Chairs.

4 Dining Tables.
1 Large Mantel Mirror in Bar Room.
1 Iron Safe, Chairs, Blinds, Oil Cloths, Cooking Stoves, &c.
Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m. of said NOW is the time to try GANTZ'S SICILY LEMON SUGAR For sale at 47 King st. aug 17 W. F. BROOKES.

undersigned, appointed a commissioner for that purpose, will, on MONDAY, the 7th day of Au-gust, 1871, that being Court day, at the front door of the Court House, in Brentsville, offer for sale, by public auction, that valuable property known as Dodds' Mills, with about 32 acres of land attached. This property is about three miles from Haymarket and offers great induce-

Terms: Cash enough to pay costs of suit and

sale and the residue of the purchase money pay-

able in four equal annual payments, the pur-

chaser giving bonds, with approved personal se-curity, bearing interest from day of sale, and tho

title to be retained to secure deferred payments. EPPA HUNTON,

Pr. Wm. co., je 20-eots Commissioner.

The above sale has been postponed until MONDAY, September 4th, at the same time and place. Pr. Wm. co., aug 10-eots

By virtue of a decree of the County Court of

Prince William county, rendered at the June term, 1871, in Cushing and wife vs. Benson and

term, 1871, in Cushing and wife vs. Benson and others, a chancery suit therein pending, the undersigned, commissioners appointed for that purpose, will expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, before the front door of the Court House of said county, on MONDAY, the 4th day of September, 1871, that being Court day, (unless previously sold at private sale, the said commissioners being authorized by said decroe to sell at public or private sale,) the TRACT OF LAND in the proceedings mentioned, of which

LAND in the proceedings mentioned, of which the late Burkett Newman died possessed, con-taining about one hundred and eighty acres. This farm lies near Sudley Mills, about five

miles from Gainesville, a station on the Manassas Branch of the O., A. & M. R. R., and near the contemplated line of the Potomac and Manassas R. R. It is of a fine red soil, susceptible

of a high state of improvement, is well watered, has a great variety and abundance of fruit on it, and lies in an excellent and rapidly improving

neighborhood.

YALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

AUCTION SALES.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Prince William county, pronounced at its May term, 1871, in the suit of Gray vs. Butler, the

DODD'S MILLS FOR SALE.

ments to purchasers.